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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office communication dated March 27, 2001. It is accompanied by a Petition for a three month extension of time, making this a timely response. The response is also accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination and a Supplemental IDS.